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In re application of: Stobie)

Group Art Unit: 3738)

Application No.: 10/705,587)

Examiner: Alvin J. Stewart)

Filing Date: November 10, 2003)

For: HEART VALVE HOLDER AND METHOD
FOR RESISTING SUTURE LOOPING)Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-145020 AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Response to the Office Action mailed February 8, 2005, please consider the following remarks.

25 Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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